

**STATE OF GEORGIA
COUNTY OF FULTON
CITY OF SOUTH FULTON**

RESOLUTION NO. 2017-050

**RESOLUTION APPOINTING TIFFANY CARTER SELLERS AS THE CHIEF
JUDGE FOR THE MUNICIPAL COURT OF THE CITY OF SOUTH FULTON;
AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.**

WHEREAS, the City of South Fulton ("City") is a municipal corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Georgia and is charged with providing public services to local residents; and

WHEREAS, Section 5.11(a) of the City of South Fulton Code of Ordinances requires that the Mayor recommend qualified candidates for the position of Chief Judge of the Municipal Court and the Mayor has recommended Tiffany Carter Sellers as a qualified candidate for the position of Chief Judge; and

WHEREAS, Section 5.11(c) of the City Code of Ordinances provides that the position of the Chief Judge shall not be a full-time position and the person serving as chief judge may engage in the private practice of law; and

WHEREAS, Section 5.11(d) of the City Code of Ordinances provides that the chief judge shall serve a term of four years, coincident with the term of the Mayor; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has considered the candidate recommended by the Mayor, and has determined that the Mayor's candidate possesses the correct qualifications, experience, and skills for appointment to the position of Chief Judge; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that the foregoing appointment is necessary and beneficial to its citizens and to the efficient operation of the City.

**THEREFORE, IT IS NOW RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE
CITY OF SOUTH FULTON, GEORGIA, AS FOLLOWS:**

1. **Appointment.** The City Council hereby approves the nomination of Tiffany Carter Sellers as the Chief Judge pursuant to the provisions of the City of South Fulton Code of Ordinances Section 5.11.
2. **Compensation** – The City Council shall fix the compensation of the chief judge pursuant to Section 5.11(c) of the City Code of Ordinances.
3. **Approval of Execution.** The Mayor is hereby authorized to sign all documents necessary to effectuate this Resolution. The City Clerk is authorized to execute, attest to, and seal any document that may be necessary to effectuate this Resolution, subject to approval as to form by the City Attorney.

4. **Severability.** To the extent, any portion of this Resolution is declared invalid, unenforceable or non-binding, that shall not affect the remaining portions of this Resolution.
5. **Repeal of Conflicting Provisions.** All City resolutions are hereby repealed to the extent they are inconsistent with this Resolution.
6. **Effective Date.** This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

The foregoing Resolution No. **2017-050** adopted on **September 19, 2017** was offered by Councilmember **Willis**, who moved its approval. The motion was seconded by Councilmember **Jackson**, and being put to a vote, the result was as follows:

| | AYE | NAY |
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| William "Bill" Edwards, Mayor | <u> </u> | <u> </u> |
| Catherine Foster Rowell, Mayor Pro Tem | <u>Did Not Vote</u> | <u> </u> |
| Carmalitha Lizandra Gumbs | <u>Did Not Vote</u> | <u> </u> |
| Helen Zenobia Willis | <u> √ </u> | <u> </u> |
| Gertrude Naeema Gilyard | <u> √ </u> | <u> </u> |
| Rosie Jackson | <u> √ </u> | <u> </u> |
| khalid kamau | <u>Did Not Vote</u> | <u> </u> |
| Mark Baker | <u> √ </u> | <u> </u> |

THIS RESOLUTION adopted this 19th day of September 2017. **CITY OF SOUTH FULTON, GEORGIA**



WILLIAM "BILL" EDWARDS, MAYOR

ATTEST:



MARK MASSEY, CITY CLERK



APPROVED AS TO FORM:



JOSH BELINFANTE, INTERIM CITY ATTORNEY